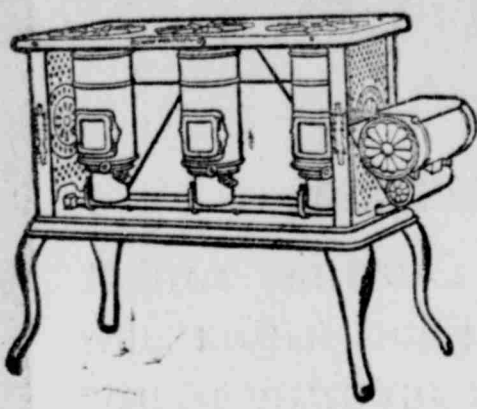


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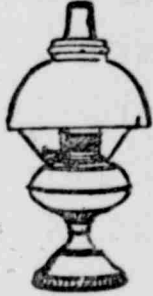
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"THE PEOPLE WILL PAY THE FINES."

The Chicago Record-Herald publishes the following from Washington:

PEOPLE WILL PAY OIL TRUST FINES.

May be \$130,000,000, and Then Oil Will Go Up, Says Standard Man.

At Washington Attorney General Bonaparte gave the following side light on the Standard Oil cases now occupying attention in the Federal Courts in Chicago.

A man prominently identified with Standard Oil interests in litigation informed the Attorney General that if the corporation he represents be convicted and the minimum penalty be imposed it will mean fines aggregating \$8,000,000, and if the maximum penalty the aggregate will be \$130,000,000.

The Attorney General inquired if conviction in any event would not be likely to affect the dividends of the corporation.

"Oh, I don't think so," was the reply. "The price of oil can be raised, you know, and then the people will pay the fines."

We have grave doubt if any official of the Company made the statement: "the people will pay the fines," but we have not the slightest doubt that the statement credited to him indicates the exact purpose of the Company in case there are fines imposed upon it. People will be compelled to pay those fines through the increase in the price of oil; and the salaries of the officials and the dividends of

the stockholders will remain the same.

If the officers of the Company, however, were sent to the penitentiary for the violation of the law, it would make some difference to them. But until the officers of the great corporations and combinations of capital are punished criminally it will be impossible to make them obey the laws. The discharged stenographer of E. H. Harriman sold to the New York World a copy of the letter written by Harriman containing statements of supreme interest to the American people. E. H. Harriman, who has violated every law, who has committed crimes which have netted him and his associates millions of dollars, has not and will not be arrested. The Standard Oil Company is prosecuted for violations of Federal laws, for which the penalties in fines aggregate \$130,000,000, but no official of that Company has been or will be arrested and sent to the penitentiary.

Mr. Roosevelt has done much to direct the attention of the people to corporate abuses and much to cure some of those abuses, but his claims to the gratitude of the people would be much greater and rest on a much more secure foundation if he was instrumental in having one single solitary individual of great wealth, high social position and corporate influence convicted and made to wear stripes and have his head shaven. Until he does that there will be no genuine reformation on the part of the criminals who are at the head of these combinations of capital, such as Harriman, Rockefeller, Armour and those who were driven from their positions in the insurance companies by the exposure brought about by Lawson and the fight between Alexander and Hyde.—Lexington Herald.

Tramps vs. Tariff Makers.

Full of excitement alloyed with hope, a visiting Boston newspaper man, sent here by his paper to write powerful pieces about the effect produced by the receipt in Washington of the petition of the Massachusetts Legislature for tariff revision, called on Speaker Cannon before the House opened. "I suppose, Mr. Speaker," said the journalist from the Hub, "that Congress cannot resist the demands of all sorts of citizens of Massachusetts, irrespective of politics, for immediate tariff revision?"

Uncle Joe gave his cigar a vicious nip.

"Young man," said he, "this is a constitutional government, praise God! Even the lowest tramp in this country of the free and home of the brave has the right to petition Congress and have his petition read. The right of petition is one of the safeguards of our liberties. But, by Jehosaphat, sir! Congress does not have to grant the prayers of every tramp. No, sir, not by a darn sight!"

The visiting Boston newspaper man hastened away to write his first powerful piece on the progress of tariff revision in Congress.—Washington Herald.

Marion Harland's Recipes

SOFT CAKE FROSTING.

Put together over the fire ten tablespoonfuls of fresh milk and one-half cup of granulated sugar. Boil steadily, without stirring, for six minutes; flavor with lemon or vanilla, and spread immediately on the cake.

WHITE CAKES.

Sift two cups of flour with a teaspoonful of baking powder and a generous pinch of salt. Beat one egg light; add a pint of sweet milk and beat the prepared flour gradually into this liquid. Cook at once on a soapstone griddle, if you have one.

APPLE DUMPLINGS.

Sift a quart of flour three times with one and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder and two salt-spoonfuls of salt. Chop into the flour two tablespoonfuls of butter or one of butter and one of lard. Add about a pint of milk or enough to make a soft dough. Roll into a sheet a half inch thick and cut into squares five inches across. Peel and core apples, and put one in the center of each square of pastry. Fill the hollow left by the core with granulated sugar; fold the corners of the pastry over the apple; pinch them together and bake in a good oven to a light brown.

HOT CHOCOLATE.

Rub six tablespoonfuls of chocolate smooth with a little cold water, then pour upon it gradually a generous cup of boiling water. Stir until smooth and free from lumps, and bring to a boil. Add two cups of milk, and cook in a double boiler for five minutes. Sweeten to taste, and serve with a spoonful of whipped cream on the surface of each cup of the beverage.

COOKIES.

Cream together one and one-half cups of light brown sugar and one-cup of butter. Add a half cup of sour cream, one egg beaten light, a teaspoonful of baking soda dissolved in a little boiling water, lemon flavoring and flour to make a dough that can be rolled out. Roll thin and bake.

OLD TIME CHOCOLATE CAKE.

One cup of brown sugar, one egg yolk, beaten light; one cup of sweet milk, one-half cup of grated chocolate, one teaspoonful of baking soda, one cup of flour, one tablespoonful of melted butter added last of all. Bake in a loaf-tin and cover with a boiled icing. Make this one cup of sugar and

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Every farmer knows that clover will enrich his soil, but he has been poor from continued planting, and this is due to the fact that certain germs grow in the roots of this plant which actually enrich the soil. The ripening of clover and the fermenting of clover and other legumes is another service performed by these little workers or germs. Alcohol is poison to most germs, but is useless when taken into the body to destroy bacteria or disease-breeding germs, as it at the same time poisons the living tissues of the system and dries up the red blood corpuscles. For this reason any medicine which is made up with alcohol is not a good thing for continued and repeated dosing such as is required in chronic diseases. Most all diseases and ills of mankind are due to an attack of growing germs or bacteria which get into the system and the blood.

If the channels and arteries contain a swift, active flowing stream of blood, these germs of disease cannot find a lodging place. They are swept out of a gill of water boiled until it threads. Pour over the well beaten white of an egg and spread over the cake.

DELICATE PUDDING.

One cup of granulated sugar, one-half cup of sweet milk, one egg, beaten light; butter the size of an egg, one cup of seeded raisins, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, flour to make of the consistency of cake batter. Steam for one hour.

LEMON PUDDING SAUCE.

One and one-half cups of sugar, three-quarters of a cup of butter, one egg (reserving one white), one lemon (juice and grated rind). Beat all well together, and, when ready to serve, pour one pint of boiling water on the mixture, then pour upon the preserved white of egg and beat hard to a froth.

FRUIT COOKIES.

One cup of butter worked to a cream with two cups of granulated sugar. Add three well-beaten eggs, one teaspoonful of baking soda dissolved in two tablespoonfuls of sour milk, one teaspoonful each of cloves and cinnamon, ground; one-half teaspoonful of nutmeg, one cup of raisins, stoned and chopped; enough flour to make a dough that can be rolled out. Roll thin, bake in a quick oven, brushing over before baking with an egg beaten with a tablespoonful of sugar.

COTTAGE PUDDING.

One cup of sweet milk, one cup of suet chopped very fine; one cup of molasses, one-half pound of seeded raisins, one-half pound of currants, one-half teaspoonful of ground cloves, same of ground cinnamon and a teaspoonful of baking soda, a little salt, flour to make a good batter. Steam for three hours.

EGGLESS COOKIES.

One cup of sugar rubbed to a cream with a half cup of butter or lard, one-half cup of sour milk, one-half teaspoonful of baking soda, flour enough to make a

the system. In this way by making rich, red blood and clearing all the poisons from the blood we are protected against disease, says Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. With the object in view of finding an alternative extract which will do this for the blood he found, after experimenting many years, a medicine made from roots, herbs, and barks, without the use of a particle of alcohol, which would invigorate and sustain the system by its tonic action upon the stomach. This he called "Golden Medical Discovery." By it the proper mineral elements are taken from the food which go to make rich, red blood. It is also for this reason that persons who are run-down, emaciated or weak after sickness, or great brain work are built up and put on flesh to their healthy standard.

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dough that can be rolled out. Add any flavor wished and roll out, cut and bake quickly.

FRIED CAKES.

One egg, beaten light; one cup of sugar, one cup of sweet milk, one tablespoonful of butter, one teaspoonful of baking powder, a little salt, enough flour to make of the right consistency to knead to a soft dough. Cut off bits of uniform size and fry quickly.

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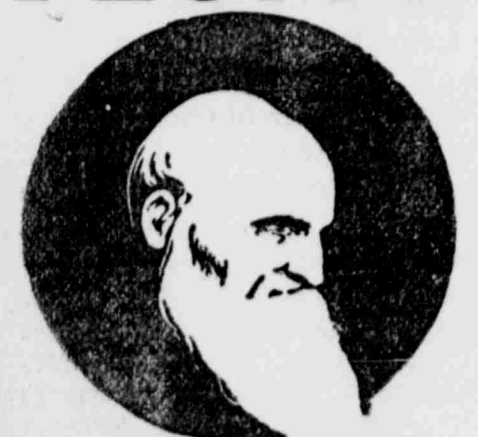
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